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	B	4,450,847	05/84	Owens	131	365	
	C	5,060,675	10/91	Milford et al.	131	365	
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JAW	A	1,555,320	09/25	Weil				
	B	1,996,002	03/35	Seaman	131	52		
	C	1,999,222	04/35	Weinberger	131	52		
	D	2,013,508	09/35	Seaman	131	52		
	E	2,049,320	07/36	Ruben et al.	131	52		
	F	2,185,293	01/40	Copeman	131	12		
	G	2,366,187	01/45	Friedwald	131	24		
	H	2,682,270	06/54	Schur	131	61		
	I	2,746,890	05/56	Legler	131	4		
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SAW	K	3,370,593	02/68	Owaki	131	15	
	L	3,632,384	01/72	Saint-Pastou	117	44	
	M	3,736,940	05/73	Saint-Pastou	131	4	
	N	3,911,932	10/75	Houck, Jr. et al.	131	15	
	O	4,044,778	08/77	Cohn	131	4	
	P	4,061,147	12/77	Falchi	131	4	
	Q	4,077,414	03/78	Baker et al.	131	8	
	R	4,129,134	12/78	Hind et al.	131	2	
	S	4,231,377	11/80	Cline et al.	131	9	
	T	4,236,532	12/80	Schweizer et al.	131	9	
	U	4,420,002	12/83	Cline	131	334	
V	4,452,259	06/84	Norman et al.	131	349		
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SAW	W	4,489,738	12/84	Simon	131	349	
	X	4,619,278	10/86	Saint-Pastou	131	284	
	Y	4,622,983	11/86	Mathews et al.	131	365	
	Z	4,624,268	11/86	Baker et al.	131	332	
	AA	4,739,775	04/88	Hampl, Jr.	131	365	
	BB	4,679,575	07/87	Yamaguchi et al.	131	365	
	CC	4,781,203	11/88	Baker et al.	131	79	
	DD	4,784,164	11/88	Adams et al.	131	365	
	EE	4,889,145	12/89	Adams et al.	131	365	
	FF	5,060,675	10/91	Milford et al.	131	365	
	GG	5,260,999	11/93	Wyman	384	4	
	HH	5,322,472	07/94	Cutright et al.	162	139	
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	JJ	5,354,424	10/94	Rha et al.	162	135	
	KK	5,360,516	11/94	Cutright et al.	162	139	
	LL	5,417,228	05/95	Baldwin et al.	131	349	
	MM	5,450,863	09/95	Collins et al.	131	365	
	NN	5,474,905	12/95	Allen et al.	131	365	
	OO	5,534,114	09/96	Cutright et al.	162	139	
	PP	5,810,970	09/98	Hughes et al.	162	143	
	QQ	5,820,998	10/98	Hotaling et al.	428	533	
	RR	5,849,153	12/98	Ishino et al.	162	135	
	SS	5,878,753	03/99	Peterson et al.	131	365	
	TT	5,942,086	08/99	Owen	162	135	
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	WW	1,056,941	1967	UK			X X
	XX	1,214,319	1967	UK			X X
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